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Chief, WHD

Chief of Station, JMWAVE

Transmittal of [redacted] Memorandum Number 171

ACTION: As below

Forwarded under separate cover is a memorandum from [redacted] which transmits a request from [redacted] for [redacted] assistance in having the families of a pilot brought from Cabinal Angeles to a [redacted] in Miami. JMWAVE prefers not to get involved if possible, however, if it must be handled, it is requested that [redacted] be given [redacted] as cover, even though [redacted] is unaware.

END OF DISPATCH

ATTACHMENT:

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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Request of the Widow of Pilot Crispin Lucio GARCIA to Have His Remains Brought to Miami

1. At my meeting with [illegible] on January 14, 1962, at the latter's residence, he brought up the subject matter with the details, in asking the request of the widow of Pilot Lucio GARCIA to have his remains brought from Central America to Miami. The memorandum furnished him read as follows:

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"I was [illegible] (Phone 5[illegible]) at 536 [illegible] 5th Ave, Apt. 2, visited by the widow of pilot Crispin Lucio GARCIA who belonged to the air force of the Army of Liberation.

"2. - Said lady informed me that a pilot named COOK informed her that [illegible] remains of her husband had appeared in Nicaragua, where he had been buried without her knowing in what [illegible].

"3. - Said lady requests that measures be taken to bring the remains of the body of her husband and to burn them in the crematory of Miami, without publicity being given to the affair.

"4. - Permission on this should be given to the telephone of the [illegible] (Phone 7[illegible]), who is a friend of the family.

Miami, January 15, 1962

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2. It will be recalled that some two months ago, the [illegible] of two Cuban pilots were found beside their destroyed planes in Nicaragua. The widow was informed by the [illegible] of this recent [illegible] information from Washington [illegible] it was [illegible] It was his opinion [illegible] to the relatives [illegible] remains [illegible].

3. It now appears that the widow of GARCIA, assuming that he

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